

## Message Text

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EA/PHL - BFLECK

EB/ODF - FNASH

EA/RA - FBENNETT

TREASURY - WESCONBE

EA/P - JCANNON

D/HA - HKHILL

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY MANILA IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN, SHUM, RP

SUBJECT: ADB CONSIDERATION OF PHILIPPINE LOAN

REF: A) STATE 283982, B) MANILA 8521, C) MANILA 18825

1. FOLLOWING MEDIA GUIDANCE CAN BE USED IF INQUIRIES ARE  
MADE ABOUT US VOTE IN ADB DECISION.

2. AS ONE ELEMENT OF THE OVERALL HUMAN RIGHTS POLICY OF  
THE ADMINISTRATION, AND REFLECTING THE INTENT OF THE US  
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CONGRESS AS EXPRESSED IN PUBLIC LAW 95-118, THE USG TAKES  
INTO ACCOUNT HUMAN RIGHTS CONCERNS IN DETERMINING ITS  
POSITION ON PROPOSALS FOR LOANS AND OTHER FORMS OF ASSIS-  
TANCE EXTENDED BY INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS. THE  
USG HAS INFORMED THE G.O.P. THAT ITS ABSTENTION ON A PRO-  
POSED \$35 MILLION ADB LOAN FOR THE DEVELOPMENT BANK OF  
THE PHILIPPINES WAS RELATED TO SUCH CONCERNS. THESE

CONCERNS ARE DIRECTED AT THE OVERALL HUMAN RIGHTS CLIMATE  
IN THE PHILIPPINES. THE U.S.G. HAS TAKEN SIMILAR ACTION  
FROM TIME TO TIME WITH RESPECT TO VOTES ON IFI LOANS TO  
OTHER COUNTRIES WHERE THE HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION IS A  
MATTER OF CONCERN TO THE U.S.G. AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO  
IN THE FUTURE. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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